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### EUREKA

Little Belphe Hudson had sore eyes the first of the week and was unable to attend school.

C. H. Morehouse and W. T. Capps were working the roads the last of the week.

Mr. Brooks returned from Colorado where he had gone to take his daughters and their children to their homes.

Mr. Young was on the sick list Sunday.

Mr. Shaffer has gone to Ponca City to visit his daughter and family. Charley Sellers, Mr. Gould and C. E. Morehouse called on Robert Sellers Wednesday afternoon.

Little Charley Morehouse visited Monday night with Rufus King.

Mrs. W. A. King and her mother, Mrs. S. A. Capps, were in Liberal Friday.

W. A. King and V. Capps have their silos finished and Wallace Elliott will plaster his the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lubbers were in Beaver City all last week.

Mrs. S. A. Capps is visiting with her children in Liberal this week.

Mr. Lubber went to Forgan on Sunday to meet his cousin, from Nebraska, who will visit with his family this week.

C. H. Morehouse and family and sister, Lovica, visited with their sister, Mrs. Capps, and husband Sunday.

Grandma Newman was out to Sunday school, it being a nice day. We had a good crowd and some were present from Liberty church, too.

The farmers are waiting for rain so they can put in their crops. Mesdames C. H. and C. E. Morehouse were in Liberal Friday and marketed 87 dozen eggs.

At the annual school election of District No. 2, the sum of \$10,000 was voted for the maintenance of the school for the next term. W. H. Feather was unanimously elected to succeed himself. There was a report circulated that Mrs. Grinstead was an applicant for the office, but when she arose and nominated Mr. Feather for renomination, it proved her interests for the school were far greater than those who started the false report.

Roscoe Merrill is reported very sick at this writing.

Frank Murphy of Meade was visiting in Liberal the first of the week. Attorneys Sawyer, Manatt and Macy attended court in Hugoton last week.

Foster Qualls was visiting in the city of Hutchinson the first of the week.

N. B. Anser, of Meade, was a business caller in our city the first of the week.

Mrs. A. C. Jones of Cincinnati, O., is visiting with her brother, Dr. T. A. Jones.

Ike Lewis of St. John, Kansas, is visiting his sister, Mrs. O. J. Miller, this week.

W. M. Connelly returned to his home Sunday, after a short visit with his son, "BILL."

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Chamberlain are the proud parents of a son, born on Thursday, April 10th.

Mrs. O. M. Woods and Mrs. John Baughman returned Saturday from a short visit in Wichita.

Mrs. C. C. Adams, of Hooker, Oklahoma, was here last week, visiting with her daughter, Mrs. O. M. Woods.

The Taylor Drug Store has a very unique display in one of its show windows this week, in the way of bristle brushes.

J. Hoskinson has rented his residence property and left with his wife for Kansas City, where they will visit with friends this summer.

Miss Virginia Cox, who has been spending the winter months with Mrs. H. V. Tucker, left Monday for her home in Bowlinggreen, Kentucky.

W. H. Meeker, of Floris, Oklahoma, is a new employee at the Rock Island round house, having signed up for continuous duty this week.

S. W. Smith, formerly a resident of Liberal, but now of Oklahoma City, arrived here last Saturday from Hugoton, where he has been attending to business of a legal nature.

Col. R. W. Dickerson left yesterday for Forgan, Oklahoma, where he will cry a large farm sale for Mechem & Clifford. "Missouri Bob," as the Colonel is more familiarly known, is becoming famed as an auctioneer and informs us that if the people will put up with his prevaricating for a short while longer he intends opening an office and employing a private secretary to keep track of his dates.

J. J. Porter of route No. 1, has sold out his entire belongings and will leave in a few weeks with his family for Little Rock, Arkansas, where he has purchased land and will engage in fruit raising. Mr. Porter has been in this section for the past nine years, and since his residence here has made enough off of his farm to enjoy the older years of his life, and is only making the move for the benefit of his wife's health, who is troubled with her heart, and has been advised to seek a lower altitude. We are loath to lose as good citizens as these people, but wish them health, wealth and happiness in their new home.

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will give their annual festival at the church on Thursday May first an interesting program is being prepared for this concert, which will appear in full in our next issue.

We were unavoidably compelled to omit an announcement of the dedication of the Baptist Church 12 miles northwest of Liberal, Sunday April 20th.

### Notice to Public

Beginning Monday April 21st, and continuing until Sept. 1st 1913, we the undersigned merchants of Liberal agree to close our stores at 7:30 p.m. every night except Saturday nights, all customers in store at time of closing to be waited on. And to keep posted in our windows a notice of such closing hours.

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Chas. Summers and Sons  
Cut Rate Store  
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H. E. Belt  
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### Methodist Church.

Our District Superintendent, Rev. R. A. Dayisman, will preach next Sunday evening. The pastor will preach in the morning.

All other services and meetings at usual hours and places.

Wm. T. Ward, Pastor.

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### HARWOOD

A ball game was played Sunday between Harwood and Satanta on the Harwood diamond. This time Harwood won and Satanta did not score once. A large crowd attended in spite of the disagreeable wind blowing.

A dance was given at the home of W. E. Burr last Friday night.

Bern Patton and Miss Flora Singley made a trip to Sublette Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Harvey went to Cimarron last week. Mr. Harvey's mother is very sick.

J. B. Patton carried the mail Thursday; W. E. Burr, Saturday. Next Tuesday the route is to be changed and will extend only from Harwood to Sublette.

Charles Reno and Thurman Halsey held a sale of stock Wednesday at the Halsey place.

Mesdames Rowland, Shaban and Patton, and Miss Ruby Rhiness were visitors Wednesday of Mrs. Myrtle Burr.

Mr. John Harper spent Friday night at the home of Mrs. E. J. Johnson.

You can get sweet milk and sweet cream at Eidson's candy store. First door west of City Bakery.

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YARD 2—This yard is made up principally of first and second prize winners at the Liberal Dalhart and Pratt shows and the quality demands a higher price, but I will spare a few settings at \$3.00 per 15.

Yard 3—Yard Three is also made up principally with prize winners at the above mentioned shows. The eggs should bring a much higher price, but to encourage the breeding of thoroughbred chickens by my farmer friends I will spare a few settings from this yard at \$1.50 per 15 eggs.

YARD 4—This pen is made up of high quality, and every bird is a thoroughbred Orpington, but some show slight defects and would not score as high as the birds in the other pens, but will make good breeders, and for those who care only for eggs and meat this yard will fill the bill. Eggs, \$1.00 per 15. No eggs will be shipped from this yard.

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### Friends Church

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., each Sabbath.

Preaching by Rev. Hockett at 11:00 a. m., each Sabbath.

C. E. each Sabbath evening at 6:30 and services following at 7:30.

Services are held in the Adyent church on North Kansas Avenue. All are cordially invited to attend each and every service.

COMMITTEE.

### ANTELOPE VALLEY

Sunday school at the school house each Sunday at 10:30. Preaching services next Sunday, April 20th, conducted by Rev. Moore. Everybody invited to the service.

A number of the Valley people are planning to attend the dedication services next Sunday at Pleasant Valley.

Mr. Sealey was a pleasant caller at Wm. Arbuthnot's last Monday.

Mrs. Congrove will start for Colorado this week to visit her sister.

Ed Hancock and family visited at Wm. Arbuthnot's last Sunday.

Take your cream, butter and eggs to the Liberal Creamery and receive highest market price for it.

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